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## HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 500 By Fitzhugh

A RESOLUTION To honor and recognize Issac Sorrell on his selection as the 2001 Valedictorian of Ripley High School.

WHEREAS, It is appropriate that the members of this legislative body should honor those students who, through their natural talents and unwavering commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Issac Sorrell is most assuredly one such exceptional student who is richly deserving of this body's commendation; and

WHEREAS, His persistence and hard work have earned him recognition as the Valedictorian of the 2001 graduating class at Ripley High School; and

WHEREAS, Through industrious study, steady composure during examinations, and untiring commitment of time and talent, Issac has achieved remarkable academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in our great State and Nation; and

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WHEREAS, A well-rounded individual and a sterling scholar, Issac Sorrell has been a valuable participant in many programs and clubs at Ripley High School; and

WHEREAS, Issac has received several awards and honors in recognition of his superior academic performance and his great promise as a collegiate scholar; and

WHEREAS, Issac Sorrell epitomizes the spirit and commitment that are characteristic of a true Tennessean; in an age where the youth of our country face great challenges, we can proudly state without equivocation that he represents all that is good in our young people today; and

WHEREAS, Issac is an incredible source of pride for his family, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, His display of intellectual aptitude and ambition as a student at Ripley High School surely bodes well for his future success; and

WHEREAS, Issac Sorrell's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, That we hereby honor 2001 Ripley High School Valedictorian, Issac Sorrell, for his many academic achievements, and extend to him our best wishes for much continued success and happiness in all his future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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